

FILED IN THE  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

May 19, 2025

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

JACOB N. COX,

Plaintiff,

v.

NICHOLAS W. BROWN,

Defendant.

NO: 4:25-CV-05028-RLP

ORDER DISMISSING ACTION FOR  
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH FILING  
FEE/*IN FORMA PAUPERIS*  
REQUIREMENTS

By Order filed April 15, 2025, the Court instructed Plaintiff to submit a completed Declaration and Application to Proceed *In Forma pauperis*, along with a certified copy of his six-month inmate trust account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the period immediately preceding March 13, 2025, or to pay the \$405.00 filing fee to proceed with this action. ECF No. 5 at 3–4. Plaintiff, an individual incarcerated at the Coyote Ridge Corrections Center, is proceeding *pro se*. Defendants have not been served in this action.

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1 The Court cautioned Plaintiff that if he failed either to pay the filing fee or to  
2 properly seek leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2),  
3 this action would be dismissed. *Id.* at 4. Plaintiff neither paid the filing fee nor  
4 submitted the necessary documentation by the due date of May 15, 2025.

5 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

6 1. This action is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** for failure to  
7 pay the filing fee under 28 U.S.C. § 1914 or to comply with the *in forma pauperis*  
8 requirements of 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

9 2. The Court certifies any appeal of this dismissal would not be taken in  
10 good faith.

11 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this Order,  
12 enter judgment, provide copies to Plaintiff at his last known address and **CLOSE**  
13 the file.

14 **DATED** May 19, 2025.

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17 REBECCA L. PENNELL  
18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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